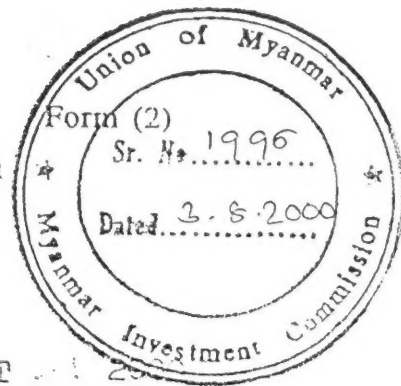


The Myanmar Investment Commission

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Permit No. 345/2000

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Date 3 AUGUST 2000

The Myanmar Investment Commission issues this Permit under Section 10 of the Union of Myanmar Foreign Investment Law -

- (a) Name of Promoter MR. CHIO KUAI CHENG
- (b) Citizenship MACAU
- (c) Address BAIRRO DA CONCORDIA EDF INDUSTRY
"VANG FU", 3RD FLOOR, BLK A-B-C
- (d) Name and address of principal organization LUCKY STAR
KNITTING FACTORY LTD, MACAU
- (e) Place of incorporation MACAU
- (f) Type of business in which investment is to be made MANUFACTURING
AND MARKETING OF TEXTILE GARMENTS ON OMP BASIS
- (g) Place(s) at which investment is permitted NO. (81/A), PLOT NO.
(400/B, SINT-NGU-TWIN), LOWER MINGALARDON ROAD, YANGON.
- (h) Amount of foreign capital US\$ 2 MILLION
- (i) Period for bringing in foreign capital WITHIN SIX MONTHS
FROM SIGNING OF THE LAND AND BUILDING LEASE AGREEMENT
- (j) Total amount of capital (Kyat) 13.33 MILLION
(KYATS THIRTEEN MILLION THREE HUNDRED AND THIRTY THOUSAND
ONLY)
- (k) Permitted duration of investment 15 YEARS
- (l) Name of the economic organization to be formed in Myanmar MYANMAR LUCKY STAR MANUFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED

Chairman

The Myanmar Investment Commission

မြန်မာနိုင်ငံရင်းနှီးမြှုပ်နှံမှုကော်မရှင်

ခွင့် ပြု မိန့်.



ခွင့်ပြုမိန့်အမှတ် ၃၄၁/၂၀၀၀ ၂၀၀၀ပြည့်. ၂၄စ၊ ဩဂုတ် ၈ ၃ ရက်။

ပြည်ထောင်စုမြန်မာနိုင်ငံတော် နိုင်ငံခြားရင်းနှီးမြှုပ်နှံမှု ဥပဒေပုဒ်မ ၁၀ အရ ဤခွင့်ပြုမိန့်ကို မြန်မာနိုင်ငံရင်းနှီးမြှုပ်နှံမှု ကော်မရှင်က ထုတ်ပေးလိုက်သည် -

- (က) ကမကထပြုသူ၏အမည် MR. CHIO KUAI CHENG
- (ခ) မည်သည့်နိုင်ငံသား MACAU
- (ဂ) နေရပ်လိပ်စာ BAIRRO DA CONCORDIA EDF INDUSTRY
"VANG FU", 3RD FLOOR, BLK A-B-C
- (ဃ) ပင်မအဖွဲ့အစည်းအမည်နှင့်လိပ်စာ LUCKY STAR KNITTING FACTORY LTD
MACAU
- (င) ဖွဲ့စည်းရာအရပ် MACAU
- (စ) ရင်းနှီးမြှုပ်နှံမှုပြုလုပ်မည့်လုပ်ငန်းအမျိုးအစား GMP စနစ်ဖြင့်အသင်းချုပ်
ပြီး အထည်မျှား ထုတ်လုပ်ခြင်း လုပ်ငန်း
- (ဆ) ရင်းနှီးမြှုပ်နှံမှုပြုလုပ်ခွင့်ပြုသည့်အရပ်ဒေသ(များ) အမှတ် (၈၁/က) ၊
အကွက်အမှတ် (၄၀၀/ခ၊ စဉ်ငူတွင်း)အောက် မလံ ၁ ဒဲ့လမ်း၊ ရန်ကုန်မြို့။
- (ဇ) နိုင်ငံခြားမတည်ငွေရင်း အမေရိကန် ဒေါ်လာ ၁၂ သန်း
- (ဈ) နိုင်ငံခြားမတည်ငွေရင်းယူဆောင်လာရမည့်ကာလ မြေ ၄၁း စာချပ်ချပ်ဆို
ပြီး နောက် ၆ လအတွင်း
- (ည) စုစုပေါင်း မတည်ငွေရင်း ပမာဏ(ကျပ်) ၁၃,၃၃သန်း (ကျပ်တစ်ဆယ်
သုံး သန်း သုံး သိန်း သုံး သောင်း တိတိ)
- (ဋ) ရင်းနှီးမြှုပ်နှံခွင့်ပြုသည့်သက်တမ်း (၁၁) နှစ်
- (ဌ) မြန်မာနိုင်ငံတွင် ဖွဲ့စည်းမည့် စီးပွားရေးအဖွဲ့အစည်းအမည် MYANMAR LUCKY STAR MANUFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED

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GOVERNMENT OF THE UNION OF MYANMAR
MYANMAR INVESTMENT COMMISSION

653 / 691, Merchant Street, Yangon.

Our ref : Ya Ka-1/490/2000(1996)

Dated : 3rd August 2000.

Tel : 272219, 272855

Fax : 095-01-282101

Subject : Decision of the Myanmar Investment Commission on the Proposal for "Manufacturing and Marketing of Textile Garments on CMP Basis" under the name of "Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited".

Reference : Ministry of Industry (1) Letter No. 25/1 Sa Ba Na (Rent) 1999-2000 (631) dated 27-1-2000.

1. The Myanmar Investment Commission, at its meeting 4/2000 held on 11-2-2000 had reviewed the proposal for investment in "Manufacturing and Marketing of Textile Garments on CMP Basis" under the name of "Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited" submitted as a Joint Venture among U Myat Thin Aung, Aung Aung Enterprises Co., Ltd, U Aung Myint, Pacific Star Manufacturing Co., Ltd and Lucky Star Knitting Factory Ltd of Macau. After careful review, it was deliberated that the proposed project be approved in principle for implementation and the proposal be submitted to the Cabinet meeting for final approval.
2. The Cabinet, at its meeting 27/2000 held on 20-7-2000 resolved to permit the implementation of the said project. Hence, the "Permit" is herewith issued in accordance with Chapter VI, Section 10 of the Union of Myanmar Foreign Investment Law and Chapter VI, Rule 13 of the Procedures relating to the said Law. Terms and conditions to the "Permit" are stated in the following paragraphs.
3. The permitted duration of the project shall be 15(Fifteen) years from the effective date of the Lease Agreement and extendible for another 3 (Three) terms of 5 (Five) years with the consent of the Myanma Textile Industries and subject to the approval of the Myanmar Investment Commission. At the end of the Lease period, land and immovable properties (inclusive of new buildings) shall be transferred to the Myanma Textile Industries without any consideration within 3(Three) Months in good condition, ground damages having been refilled or repaired.
4. The annual rent shall be calculated at the rate of US \$ 13 (United States Dollars Thirteen) and K 450 (Kyat Four Hundred and Fifty) per square meter for the covered area and US \$ 3 (United States Dollars Three) and K 20 (Kyat Twenty) per square meter for the uncovered area to the amount of US \$ 64179.10 (United States Dollars Sixty Four Thousand, One Hundred and Seventy Nine and Ten Cents Only) and K 1,548,853 (Kyat One Million Five Hundred and Forty Eight Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Three Only).The rent shall be revised in view of prevailing annual rent after every 5 (Five) years period and the rate of increase of the rent shall not be more than 15 (Fifteen) percent of the preceeding annual rent.
5. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall provide the Performance Bank Guarantee to the amount of US\$ 50,000 (United States Dollars Fifty Thousand Only) in favour of the Myanma Textile Industries within 30(Thirty) days from the date of the signing of the Land and Building Lease Agreement.

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6. In issuing this "Permit" the Commission has granted the following exemptions and reliefs:
- (a) As per Section-21(a), exemption from income-tax up to 36(Thirty Six) months starting from the months of commencement of commercial operation.
 - (b) As per Section-21(b), regarding exemption from income-tax on profits of the business if they are maintained in a reserve fund and re-invested therein within one year after the reserve is made, Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall apply for such exemption only after 3-year tax holiday period.
 - (c) As per Section-21(c), Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall be granted to accelerate depreciation in respect of machinery, equipment, building or other capital assets used in the business to the extent of the original value for the purpose of income-tax assessment. However, Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall have to apply to the Commission such rates of depreciation.
 - (d) As per Section-21(d), relief from income tax up to 50 percent on profits accrued from exports, such relief has to be applied, upon actual performance, following 3-year tax holiday period.
 - (e) As per Section-21(e), Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall have the right to pay income-tax payable to the State on behalf of foreigners who have come from abroad and are employed in the enterprise and the right to deduct such payment from the assessable income.
 - (f) As per Section-21(f), the Commission has also approved the right to pay income-tax on the income of the above-mentioned foreigners at the rates applicable to the citizens residing within the country.
 - (g) As per Section-21(g), regarding the right to deduct from the assessable income such expenses incurred in respect of research and development relating to the enterprise which are actually required and are carried out within the State, Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall apply, upon actual performance of such research and development programme, only after 3-year tax holiday period.
 - (h) As per Section-21(h), regarding right to carry forward and set-off up to three consecutive years from the year the loss is sustained following the enjoyment of exemption from income-tax, Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall file the case, if any, to the Ministry of Finance and Revenue in accordance with Section-4 of the Income Tax Amendment Law, 1991.
 - (i) As per Section-21(i), exemption from customs duty and all other internal taxes on machinery, equipment, instruments, machinery components, spare parts and materials used in the business, which are imported as they are actually required for use during the period of construction.
 - (j) As per Section-21(j), exemption from customs duty and all other internal taxes on such raw materials and additional import of machinery, equipment and spare parts which are actually required for operation of the business shall be granted within three years of commercial operation following the period of construction.

7. Lucky Star Knitting Factory Ltd of Macau shall have to sign Joint Venture Agreement with U Myat Thin Aung, Aung Aung Enterprises Co., Ltd and U Aung Myint, Pacific Star Manufacturing Co., Ltd. Myanma Textile Industries shall have to sign the Lease Agreement with the Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited. After signing such Agreements, (5) copies each of those shall have to be forwarded to the Commission.

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8. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited, in consultation with the Department of Company Administration, Directorate of Investment and Company Administration shall have to be registered. After registration, (5) copies each of Certificate of Incorporation and Memorandum and Articles of Association shall have to be forwarded to the Commission.
9. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall use its best efforts for timely realization of works stated in the Proposal. If none of such works has been commenced within one year from the date of issue of this "Permit", it shall become null and void.
10. The official date of operation shall be reported to the Commission.
11. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall endeavour to meet the targets for production and export stated in the proposal as the minimum target.
12. The Commission approves periodical appointments of foreign experts and technicians from abroad as per Proposal. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall have to consult with Directorate of Labour, Ministry of Labour for appointment of such foreign experts and technicians.
13. In order to evaluate foreign capital in terms of Kyats and for the purpose of its registration in accordance with the provision under Section-24 of the Union of Myanmar Foreign Investment Law, it is compulsory to report as early as possible in the following manner.
 - (a) The amount of foreign currency brought into Myanmar, attached with the necessary documents issued by the respective bank where the account is opened.
 - (b) The detailed lists of the type and value of foreign capital defined under Section-2(h) of the said Law, other than foreign currency, to the Chairman, Foreign Capital Evaluation Sub-Committee.
14. Whenever Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited brings in foreign capital defined under Section 2(h) of the said Law, other than foreign currency in the manner stated in paragraph 13(b) mentioned above, the Inspection Certificate endorsed and issued by an internationally recognized Inspection Firm with regard to quantity, quality and price of imported materials shall have to be attached.
15. After all types of foreign capital (foreign currency and other types of foreign capital) have been brought into Myanmar, a report shall have to be submitted to the Commission as prescribed, vide letter No. Na-Ya 9/101/92(416) dated 3-12-92 [Annexure(1)]
16. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall report to the Commission for any alteration in the physical and financial plan of the project. Cost over-run, over and above the investment amount pledged in both local and foreign currency shall have to be reported as early as possible.
17. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall be responsible for the preservation of the environment at and around the area of the project site. Hence, it shall observe the directive issued by the Commission vide letter No. Ya Ka-1/139/94 (0440) dated 30-6-94 [Annexure(2)] to undertake all proper treatment systems and other necessary environmental control systems.

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18. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited shall follow the procedures prescribed by the Commission, vide letter No. Ya Ka-7/408/94 (0424) dated 29-6-94 [Annexure(3)] to expedite the clearance of imports of capital and inter-industry use goods brought in as capital investment and raw materials required during the initial 3-year operation period.

19. Payment of principal and interest of the loan (if any) as well as payment for import of raw materials and spare parts etc. shall only be made out of the official foreign exchange earnings of Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited.

20. Myanmar Lucky Star Manufacturing Company Limited, in consultation with Myanmar Insurance, shall effect such types of insurance defined under Chapter VIII. Rule 15 of the Procedures relating to the Union of Myanmar Foreign Investment Law.

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Chairman

Mr. Chio Kuai Cheng

Lucky Star Knitting Factory Ltd.

c/o Managing Director
Myanma Textile Industries

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 3. Office of the Government of the Union of Myanmar
 4. Office of the Strategic Studies, Ministry of Defence
 5. Ministry of National Planning and Economic Development
 6. Ministry of Finance and Revenue
 7. Ministry of Commerce
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 9. Ministry of Foreign Affairs
 10. Ministry of Home Affairs
 11. Ministry of Immigration and Population
 12. Ministry of Labour
 13. Ministry of Electric Power
 14. Chairman, Committee for Assisting the Myanmar Investment Commission (Governor, Central Bank of Myanmar)
 15. Chairman, Foreign Capital Evaluation Sub-Committee (Director General, Central Equipment Statistics and Inspection Department)
 16. Director General, Directorate of Investment and Company Administration
 17. Director General, Customs Department
 18. Director General, Internal Revenue Department
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26. Chairman, Union of Myanmar Federation of Chambers of Commerce and Industry (UMFCCI)